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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action mailed May 17, 2002 in which the claims of the application were held to be subject to a restriction requirement.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1-5, 21-28 and 30 without prejudice